



State Water Resources Control Board

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(Via email and Certified Mail)
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Mr. Barry Williams
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SUBJECT:

NOTICE OF VIOLATION; UNDERGROUND STORAGE TANK SYSTEMS LOCATED AT FLEET SERVICES ON THE UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA – DAVIS, 650 LA RUE ROAD, DAVIS

Dear Mr. Williams:

As part of an initiative by the State Water Resources Control Board (State Water Board) to ensure compliance at government-owned and/or operated underground storage tank (UST) facilities in California, the State Water Board staff inspected the UST at your facility on September 27, 2017, pursuant to authority under Health and Safety Code (H&SC), chapter 6.7, section 25289.

The State Water Board has identified the following violations pursuant to H&SC, chapter 6.7, and California Code of Regulations (CCR), title 23, chapter 16:

No.	Violation	Tank	Start Date	Stop Date	Regulation
1	Failure to Monitor Product Piping – The sensors in the turbine sumps were incorrectly positioned at an angle preventing them from detecting a leak at the earliest opportunity. These were corrected at the time of inspection.	All	September 27, 2017	September 27, 2017	23 CCR 2630(d)
2	Failure to Maintain Plot Plan/Site Map – A plot plan/site map indicating the location of the product piping was not available in CERS or onsite at the time of inspection.	All	September 27, 2017	Ongoing	23 CCR 2711(a)(8)

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You are directed to correct the ongoing violations and submit compliance documentation to the State Water Board and Yolo County Department of Community Services within sixty (60) days from the date of this letter. Have your Designated Operator make specific notations in the next monthly designated operator report indicating the ongoing violations have been corrected. The monthly designated operator report and any associated photos must be submitted as proof of compliance. Please have the residual liquid and debris in the diesel turbine sump and under dispenser containment 3-4 and 5-6 removed.

Please send all compliance documentation to the following:

State Water Board

Mr. Will Speth
UST Enforcement Unit
Office of Enforcement
State Water Resources Control Board
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Sacramento, California 95814
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Local CUPA

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Pursuant to Health and Safety Code, chapter 6.7, section 25299, the owner and operator of the tank(s) are liable for a penalty of \$500 to \$5,000 per tank, per day of violation. These penalties will continue to accrue until the violations have been corrected.

If you have any questions, please contact me at (916) 341-5551, or by email at amantha.henkel@waterboards.ca.gov.

Sincerely,

Amantha Henkel

Senior Environmental Scientist

UST Enforcement Unit

Office of Enforcement

cc:

(via email only)

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